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Subject: RE: Pending PRIA date for re-registration of AgLogic 15GG aldicarb pesticide

Marietta:

Thanks for sharing!

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Let me know if you have further insight and/or questions.

Best,

Marion J.

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Dear Mr. Messina,

Ms. Carrie Vicenta Meadows, Ag Advisor to the Administrator, and Ms. Susan Park, EPA Region 4, Ag Advisor along with FDACS AES Director Kelly Friend and Amy Brown, Chief of Scientific Evaluation and Technical Assistance kindly visited Florida citrus growers on October 22nd to learn first hand about the fast disappearing Florida citrus industry.

Numerous growers, researchers and applicators were there and they informed Carrie and Susan, that there is no EPA registered alternative to AgLogic 15 GG aldicarb, which offers hope of managing the relentless onslaught of the citrus greening disease. The industry is fighting for survival with a whopping 64% of bearing citrus acres killed by greening disease.

Due to insufficient oranges, the number of orange juice processing plants is down by 88%. Family farms and processing jobs have been lost, and juice is now being imported from Brazil and Mexico to meet US demand.

Our product AgLogic 15 GG was successfully and safely used for 18 years on 3.3 million acres of Florida citrus, under the Temik brand name.

Its voluntary withdrawal from the market in 2010, is positively correlated with the precipitous decline in the citrus industry.

We are in the process of re-registering AgLogic aldicarb on oranges and grapefruit citrus in Florida and Texas.

We urgently need EPA's help in saving the essential FL and Texas U.S. citrus industry.

Please consider the proposal in the attached letter and as always we are open for discussion and negotiation in this important matter.

Thank you and Best regards,

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